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BARRIER FREE DESIGN BOARD
611 W. Ottawa Street, First Floor
Lansing, MI 48933**

**Project No. PR2017BFD-000002
Island Books & Crafts
Use Group: M**

**119 Ashmun Street
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783
Chippewa County**

ORDER OF THE MICHIGAN BARRIER FREE DESIGN BOARD

On May 18, 2017 the Barrier Free Design Board reviewed the Island Books & Crafts exception application dated November 3, 2016 and all supplemental materials. This order is issued pursuant to Section 5(6)(a) of 1966 PA 1 and 1972 PA 230.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS: Following discussion, the Board determined their authority is only over the accessibility portion of the application and requested the Bureau to follow-up on the non-compliant interior ramp. The Board adopted the report of the Administrative Law Judge based on the information provided regarding structural, site, and economic limitations. The Board concurs with the Conclusions and Recommendation.

THEREFORE, it is the order of the Board to affirm the Administrative Law Judge's decision to grant relief from the 2012 Michigan Building Code, Sections 1105.1, 1109.2, 3411, 3411.4, and 3411.7 for an accessible entrance and toilets due to compelling need based on the structural, site, and economic limitations.

cc: Mr. Steve Akkanen, Building Official
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